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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

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9 CITY OF SEATTLE, a municipal  
10 corporation, located in the County of King,  
11 State of Washington,

12 Plaintiffs

13 v.

14 MONSANTO COMPANY, SOUTHERN INC.,  
15 and PHARMACIA CORPORATION, and  
16 DOES 1 through 100,

17 Defendants.

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STIPULATED JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND TIME  
CASE NO.: 2:16-cv-00107-RSL - 1  
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STIPULATED JOINT MOTION AND  
ORDER TO EXTEND TIME FOR  
DEFENDANTS TO FILE RESPONSIVE  
PLEADING TO PLAINTIFF CITY OF  
SEATTLE'S FIRST AMENDED  
COMPLAINT

NOTED FOR HEARING:  
MARCH 2, 2017

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1 **STIPULATED JOINT MOTION**

2 Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b) and Local Civil Rule 7(j), Plaintiff City of  
 3 Seattle (“City”) and Defendants Monsanto Company, Solutia Inc., and Pharmacia LLC  
 4 (“Defendants”) (together, the “Parties”) in the above-entitled action jointly and respectfully request  
 5 this Court issue an order granting this Motion to Extend Time for Defendants to file a responsive  
 6 pleading to the City’s First Amended Complaint (“FAC”) in this matter until March 24, 2017.

7 On February 22, 2017, this Court granted in part and denied in part Defendants’ Motion to  
 8 Dismiss the City’s First Amended Complaint. *See* Dkt. No. 60. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil  
 9 Procedure 12(a)(4), Defendants’ responsive pleading is due within 14 days after notice of the Court’s  
 10 action, or March 8, 2017. Good cause exists to grant this extension because an extension is necessary  
 11 to allow Defendants time to analyze, evaluate, and respond to the remaining claims that the City has  
 12 made in its FAC. In addition, there would be no prejudice to the Parties if the Court grants this  
 13 extension, and the extension would not affect other existing deadlines or otherwise delay the action.

14 The Parties therefore stipulate and agree to extend Defendants’ time to file a responsive  
 15 pleading until March 24, 2017.

16 Dated: March 2, 2017

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**ORDER**

2 THIS MATTER having come before the Court on the stipulation of the parties and the Court  
3 finding that good cause exists for granting the relief requested, NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY  
4 ORDERED that the deadline for Defendants to file a responsive pleading to the City of Seattle's First  
5 Amended Complaint is extended to March 24, 2017.

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DATED this 3rd day of March, 2017.

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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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